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Sent: 1/22/2021 8:29:42 PM
To: Hubbard, Carolyn [Hubbard.Carolyn@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: PFAS Press Release

I just saw that she's wanting confirmation from OP/OGC that "Confirm that all of the actions referenced in the press release fall under the Klain memo. " hence my email to you to make that distinction. **Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)**

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Ok. I think that made the most sense for where to start the statement since it's about everything else not just PFBS, **Ex. 5 Deliberative Process (DP)**

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Seems like a good plan to me. Here's the important nuance...

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-Lou

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It's the one Jennifer sent to all of us this morning- attached. It's about rules and doesn't apply to PFBS but applies to some of the other things they reference in the press release.

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Do you have the "klain memo"?

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Subject: FW: PFAS Press Release

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Cc: Hubbard, Carolyn <Hubbard.Carolyn@epa.gov>; Nickerson, William <Nickerson.William@epa.gov>; Wooden-Aguilar, Helena <Wooden-Aguilar.Helena@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: PFAS Press Release

Andrea- thanks for including me and I have copied Bill Nickerson. My understanding is that the actions mentioned in the press release were actions at OFR but not yet published.

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I will defer to Bill regarding the timing of the website removal.

Bill – please correct me!

Helena

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Cc: Hubbard, Carolyn <Hubbard.Carolyn@epa.gov>

Subject: PFAS Press Release

Hi Jennifer, Helena and Nancy,

We've each had separate conversations about this issue and Nancy suggested that we have a quick chat (which I will set up for 3:00 or 3:30) to see if we can nail down a path forward. OPA worked with ORD to draft the below referenced statement that we would include at the top of the PFAS press release, which would remain live:

<https://www.epa.gov/newsreleases/epa-delivers-results-pfas-action-plan>. But before moving forward, there are a few of critical questions that need OP/OGC to attention so that we can ensure consistency and accuracy across all of the actions.

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Thanks.

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Subject: Draft PFBS Statement

Hi Carolyn,

As we discussed, here's the draft statement. We still need clarity from OP on whether the other actions will be removed, though the way the statement is written, I'm sure whether we need a final say on whether the other actions need to be removed, however, for consistency, it would be nice if we could do everything together. Nancy, I sent the note to Helena earlier and hopefully we'll hear back from her shortly.

Carolyn, let me know if Jennifer has edits to what's below.

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